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Dear Examiner Chin:

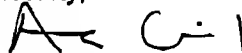
Per your telephone conversation with Anna Gil, today, 4 December 2001, please find included herewith:

- 1) a copy of the Petition For Withdrawal From Issue Under 37 C.F.R. 1.313(a); and
 - 2) a Petition To Withdraw Petition For Withdrawal From Issue Under 37 C.F.R. 1.313(a),
- concerning the above-identified application.

Per the above telephone conversation, we understand that you will make a determination on the pending Petitions, and consider the Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement (IDS), submitted 28 September 2001, prior to the due date for payment of the issue fee, 20 December 2001, in the above-identified application; and will provide a copy of the Examiner's notes concerning the determination on the Petitions, along with the considered Supplemental IDS.

Applicants thank Examiner Chin for the informative and helpful discussion regarding the pending petition and Information Disclosure Statement.

Sincerely,



Anna Gil, Reg. No. 46,726 for
Robin M. Silva, Reg. No. 38,304

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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICEIn re application of:

Chan-Long SHIEH, et al.

Serial No.: 09/438,600

Filing Date: 12 November 1999

For: *Biochannel Assay for
Hybridization with
Biomaterial*

Examiner: M. PHAM

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Todd V. LEONE

PETITION FOR WITHDRAWAL FROM ISSUE UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.313(a)

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Applicants hereby petition the Commissioner for withdrawal of the above-identified application from issuance pursuant to 37 CFR 1.313(a). The issue fee, which is due 20 December 2001, has not been paid.

Serial No.: 09/438,6000
Filing Date: 12 November 1999

Applicants enclose a copy of the Information Disclosure Statement and Statement of Relatedness and Patent and Trademark Office Form PTO-1449 identifying the prior art. Copies of such art were sent to the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office on September 28, 2001.

The following Remarks set forth the reasons why withdrawal of the application from issuance is deemed necessary. Our Check No. 38300 in the amount of \$130.00 is enclosed herewith to pay the requisite petition fee under 37 C.F.R. 1.17(h). The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 06-1300 (Order No. A-70197/RMS/RMK/JML).

REMARKS

On 28 September 2001, an Information Disclosure Statement was sent to the Office for consideration. This was eight days after the Notice of Allowance and Issue fee due was sent out by the Office. Thus, Applicants intended this art to be considered prior to issuance. Accordingly, we are withdrawing the case from issue to allow that art to be considered.

Respectfully submitted,

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Date: 1 November 2001

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Serial No.: 09/438,600
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FROM ISSUE UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.313(a)Assistant Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

Pursuant to a telephone conversation with Examiner Chin on 4 December 2001, Applicants hereby petition the Commissioner for withdrawal of the Petition for Withdrawal from Issuance in the above-identified application. The issue fee, which is due 20 December 2001, has not been paid.

Applicants enclose a copy of the Petition for Withdrawal from Issue, mailed 1 November 2001, and also faxed to Technology Center 1600 on 29 November 2001. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 06-1300 (Order No. A-70197/RMS/AXG/JML).

Respectfully submitted,

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